

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

MORNING SALES ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Daly-Judge Comes in for a Boost
And Rose to \$4, but Afterwards Declined.

DALY-WEST REMAINED FIRM.

Consolidated Mercantile Continues Its Slide
On the Toboguan—Naildriver a
Seller on the Open Board.

The morning session of the mining exchange was not a very animated one; yet there was a little enthusiasm manifested among the lower priced stocks. The Park City favorites were somewhat stronger than yesterday, and while Daly-West did not participate, there were a number of buyers in the pit seeking Daly-Judge, which sold up to \$4 a share, afterwards weakening with offers made at \$3.80 on the open board. Consolidated Mercantile came forward weaker and was scarcely wanted at any price at all. The first sale made during the regular call was at 65 1/2 cents, dropping to 65 cents on the open board. Silver Shield exhibited additional strength and altogether 2,200 shares were transferred. Naildriver sold on the open board at an advance.

The closing quotations and sales were posted as follows:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.		
Stock.	Bid.	Asked.
Cariss.	67	70
Con. Mercantile	67	70
Daly.	2 50	2 60
Daly-Judge.	2 25	3 88
Daly-West.	35 50	35 75
E. & B. Bell.	35	39
Galea.	35	39
Grand Central.	3 25 1/2	3 65
Ingot.	2	2 1/2
Lower Mammoth.	35	38 1/2
May Day.	20	21
Mammoth.	20 1/2	21 1/2
Northern Light.	1	1 1/2
Black Bear.	1	1 1/2
Sacramento.	17	19
Silver Shield.	39 1/2	40
Star Con.	19 1/2	21
Sunshine.	20	21 1/2
Uncle Sam Con.	23	24
U. S. Mining Co.	17 87 1/2	20 60
Butler-Liberal.	8 1/2	9
Rocco-Homestead.	50	50
Burton.	10	10
California.	1	1
Century.	81	85
Emerald.	1 1/2	2 1/2
La Reine.	1 1/2	2 1/2
Little Chief.	7 1/2	7 1/2
Manhattan.	5 1/2	5 1/2
Martha Washington.	7 1/2	7 1/2
New York.	7 1/2	7 1/2
Richmond Ana.	2 1/2	2 1/2
Tetro.	29 1/2	30
Victor.	3	4 1/2
Wabash.	6	7
W. Morning Glory.	29 1/2	30
Yankee.	29 1/2	30

REGULAR CALL SALES.
Consolidated Mercantile—100 at 65 1/2; 100 at 68. Shares sold, 200.
Daly—100 at 2.50.
Daly-Judge—100 at 3.85; sold, 100 at 4.00; 100 at 4.00; 100 at 3.90; 50 at 3.85; 100 at 3.80; 50 at 3.80.
Silver Shield—1,000 at 4 1/2; 1,000 at 4 1/2; 200 at 4 1/2. Shares sold, 2,200.
Martha Washington—1,000 at 7 1/2.
Yankee Consolidated—500 at 40.

OPEN BOARD.
Consolidated Mercantile—100 at 65 1/2; 100 at 68. Shares sold, 200.
New York Bonanza—500 at 5; 500 at 7 1/2; 500 at 7 1/2. Shares sold, 1,000.
Martha Washington—2,000 at 7 1/2.
Victor Consolidated—500 at 4.
Naildriver—350 at 60; 100 at 61; 600 at 62 1/2. Shares sold, 1,500.

RECAPITULATION.
Shares. Amount.
Regular call. 4,600 \$2,981.75
Open board. 4,750 884.25
Total. 9,350 \$3,866.00

PROSPERITY IN OREGON.

The Year 1903 Closed with an Envious Record to Credit of Sumpter District.

Something of the prosperity enjoyed by the eastern Oregon mining regions can be judged from the following taken from the Blue Mountain American of Sumpter:

"Twenty-three new mining plants were ordered and erected in the eastern Oregon mineral zone in the year 1903, having 165 stamps and rolls mills equivalent to 96 stamps, or a total of 232 stamps. This work was distributed over 23 separate and distinct properties. Some of the mills were completed during the year, while others were but ordered for delivery at the earliest possible date this winter or next spring. The increase to the mining capacity of the district by this work is 1,025 tons. At the same time a 150-ton furnace smelter and 750-ton sampling mill was erected at Sumpter, a 100-ton furnace and sampling mill is being put up at Homestead, and a 100-ton roasting and leaching plant is being erected at Eureka. This total work gives a very large increase to the production capacity of the district, with corresponding promise of increased output for Oregon."

GREAT IS PARK CITY.

Last Year 130,355 Tons of Ore Were Shipped from the Camp's Mine.

The Park City Record sums up the events of the past year in that grand old camp in the following:

"Another year has now been added to the great past. A year of achievement, progress and prosperity throughout the country and one in which Park City has made a grand record. Great is Park City and growing greater day by day, year by year; its vast mineral resources

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BIGELOW CARPET COMPANY NEW YORK.

CONSTRUCTION OF UTAH CON. SMELTER

Foundations for Additional Buildings Have Been Completed and Ready for Structural Iron.

WHAT THE EXTENSIONS ARE.

Twelve Additional McDougall Furnaces To Be Installed—Joseph Dederich Completes His Stock Contract.

Down at the smelter of the Utah Consolidated Mining company, near Murray, work has been in progress on the enlargement of the plant for several weeks past.

The foundations for the new buildings, said Manager R. H. Channing today, are practically all in and within a very short time now the construction of the buildings proper will commence. The foundations for the new converter dust chamber and stack, the McDougall furnaces and the roaster building are finished.

The extensions under way are as follows: An addition of 87 feet to the smelter building, thereby making it 454 feet long; this addition will contain two new reverberatory smelting furnaces 43 feet 6 inches by 17 feet; a dust chamber 56x27x15 feet; and a stack 5 feet 6 inches by 19 feet for the converters alone; an addition to the roaster building 128 1/2 feet, to contain 12 more McDougall calcining furnaces; and to take care of the extra horsepower required, as well as to have a stand-by engine to secure continuity of steam for engine overhauls and repairs, there will be a new Nordberg-Westhouse engine generator. In addition to these main items, there will be sundry small ones, such as extra slag cars and hopper cars for ore, coal and calcines, and in addition to the machine shop and boiler shop.

Contractor Joseph Dederich has completed the task of building a fifty-foot addition to the main stock which has been in use since the smelter first started.

THE \$50,000 IS UP.

Third Payment on the Columbia Mine to Be Made on Time.

Secretary and Treasurer Henry Caltrout, of the Ohio Copper company, has received advice from his eastern associates that \$50,000 has been placed to the credit of the mine purchase account and has been instructed to draw the checks to meet the third payment on the company's property, the Columbia mine, which is due on the 15th inst.

Major Caltrout has wired that he will leave for this city next Friday, by which time Superintendent Tibbets expects to have the Winnemuck mill in operation and regular shipments of high grade ores inaugurated toward the smelters.

CONCENTRATES.

Silver is quoted higher again today.

The Grand Central is at the samplers with four cars of ore today.

Supt. C. A. Falco of the Cluster group in Bingham was in the city yesterday.

Supt. Kestley of the Silver King Con. was down from the Park yesterday.

Supt. F. W. Sherman, of the Daly-West mine at Park City is in the city today.

Andrew J. Malloy, the well known expert and promoter, has arrived from New York.

The delinquent stock sales of the La Reine Group, Wabash and Dexter are scheduled for today.

Two carloads of machinery for the Guffey-Galea wells near Farmington have arrived.

An assessment of 1 1/2 cents a share has been levied on the stock of the Petro mine of Bingham.

The new \$200,000 smelter at Sumpter, Or., has been blown in and is said to be working successfully.

The annual meeting of the Badger Mining company is scheduled for 10 a. m. on Tuesday next.

The stockholders' meeting of the Morrison Mining company, scheduled for yesterday, was postponed indefinitely.

President Tony Jacobson, accompanied by Director W. B. Jeffs, expects to visit that Alta property tomorrow.

Willard F. Snyder, general manager of the Western Exploration company, has returned from a trip to the Balaklava mines in California.

Samples from the new copper ledge in the Columbus Consolidated, assayed yesterday, show values of better than 35 per cent copper.

Vice President J. D. Wood of the Daly-West Mining company departed last night for California, accompanied by Mrs. Wood.

The ore and bullion settlements reported yesterday afternoon were as follows: Crude ores, \$48,990; base bullion, \$36,000. Total, \$84,990.

The stockholders' meeting of the Copper Ranch Mining company, scheduled for yesterday afternoon, was postponed until tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Walter C. Orem has received word from Silver City, Ida., to the effect that an unexpected vein of ore has been encountered in the Twilight tunnel of the Trade Dollar Extension mine.

A typographical error in Saturday's "News" made the output of silver during 1902 appear to be 16,391,906.97 ounces, in the comparative table showing the metal output of the state for the past two years. It should have been 12,391,906.97 ounces instead.

Adam Stople of Dry Canyon, Tooele county, who is working the Blue Jay mine in this rich district, was in the city a few days ago on mining business. He is taking out a shipment of ore which will assay 23 per cent lead, 23 ounces silver, \$3 gold and from 11 to 12 per cent copper.—Stockton Sentinel.

Superintendent Tremaine reports a greatly increased flow of water at the Beaver Con., amounting now to about 15 gallons per minute. They have been able to hold it thus far, but it looks as though a pump would be required in the near future. The new cage arrived

Today's Metal Quotations.

Local settling prices as reported by the American Smelting and Refining Company:

SILVER, - - - 57 1/4
COPPER, - - - 11 1/2
LEAD, - - - \$3.50

New York Quotations:

LEAD, - - - \$4.40
COPPER, 12 1/2 @ 12 3/4

last week and is now in operation—Milford Times.

The Catawba company, owning 11 claims in Beaver Lake district, expects to do some active work during the coming year. At the annual election, held last week, Judge Botkin was re-elected president and manager, and Oscar Potter, Fred A. Smith, S. S. Martin, B. B. Hall and Elbert Stewart as directors.—Milford Times.

The Stateline Oracle came out a few days ago in holiday attire and contains a splendidly written article, embellished with a great many half-tones, descriptive of the mines of that great camp, as well as those in the vicinity of Pay, Nev. The publishers deserve much credit for the enterprise displayed in getting out this edition.

Superintendent Sherman of the Daly-Judge and Daly-West is authority for the statement that the recent laying off of a force of men at the former named plant was not for the purpose of cutting down expenses, but was done because they had finished their work and their services were no longer needed. D. P. Collett, secretary and treasurer, B. T. Lloyd and Matthew Haaga. Only the assessment work was done last year, but in all probability more work will be prosecuted this year.

UNDERTONE OF MARKET HEAVY.

Opening Was Weak and Sluggish; Lack of Orders Causing Prices to Drop.

Little Business Doing in Stocks. Traders and Speculators Being Apathetic.

New York, Jan. 5.—A very languid interest was reflected in the opening dealings in stocks and the movement of prices was narrow and sluggish with the undertone heavy. United States Steel dropped 3/4, and the preferred 3/4, the latter immediately rallying 1/2.

Death of buying orders caused prices to slide off further. Wabash preferred dropped a point and there was some selling of Amalgamated and the grain-carrying railroads. Not much stock coming out at the lower level, the room traders began to cover, Brooklyn Transit, Amalgamated Copper, Sugar and United States Steel preferred rallied a point above their lowest and the railroads rallied to a parity or slightly above yesterday's close.

The market became very dull and spotty. The Hawley railroad group was strong, Chicago & Alton rising 1/2, preferred 1/4, and Toledo, St. Louis & Western preferred 1/2. Lackawanna rose 3/4, Delaware & Hudson 3/4, Chicago Terminal preferred 4 and Atchafalaya preferred, Northwestern and American Woolen a point or more. Brooklyn Transit was down more than a point last night, causing prices to drop in sympathy.

Bonds were irregular. Wabash preferred advanced its course of the morning and advanced a point over night on rather active dealings. Louisville & Nashville also moved up 1/2, and the entire southern and southwestern groups were higher. Other active stocks showed a firm undertone and there was a rise of Amalgamated to above 50.

LIVE STOCK.
CHICAGO.
Chicago, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, including 7,000 Texan; steady; good to prime steers, 5.10@5.55; poor to medium, 2.75@3.10; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.15; cows, 2.00@4.25; heifers, 2.25@4.35; canners, 1.75@2.40; bulls, 2.00@4.35; calves, 3.00@5.25.
Hogs—Receipts today, 37,000; tomorrow, 45,000; left over 10c lower; mixed and butchers, 4.65@5.00; good to choice heavy, 4.90@5.05; rough heavy, 4.60@4.85; light, 4.90@5.15; bulk of sales, 4.70@4.90.
Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; sheep and lambs strong; good to choice wethers, 4.00@4.15; fair to choice mixed, 3.25@3.40; western sheep, 3.65@4.50; native lambs, 4.00@5.25; western lambs, 4.75@5.10.

KANSAS CITY.
Kansas City, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; steady; good to choice wethers, 3.30@3.45; native cows and heifers, 2.40@3.85; stockers and feeders, 2.25@3.75; bulls, 2.25@3.50; calves, 2.50@5.00; western steers, 3.40@4.40; western cows, 1.50@2.20.
Hogs—Receipts, 9,000. Market 5 to 10 cents higher. Bulk of sales, 4.55@4.75; heavy, 4.55@4.75; packers, 4.00@4.60; pigs and lights, 4.30@4.70.
Sheep—Receipts, 4,000. Steady to 10 cents higher. Mixed, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 4.75@5.05; range wethers, 3.75@4.40; ewes, 2.50@3.55.

OMAHA.
South Omaha, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000. Market active to steady. Native steers, 3.25@3.25; cows and heifers, 2.50@3.85; canners, 1.75@2.35; stockers and feeders, 2.50@3.85; calves, 3.00@5.25; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@3.90.
Hogs—Receipts, 7,500. Market 10 cents lower. Heavy, 4.70@4.80; mixed, 4.60@4.70; light, 4.55@4.65; pigs, 3.50@4.25; bulk of sales, 4.65@4.70.
Sheep—Receipts, 1,300. Market steady. 8 a. m. Receipts, 3,000; wethers, 3.00@3.25; ewes, 2.75@3.50; common and stockers, 2.25@3.50; lambs, 4.75@5.75.

PRODUCE.
CHICAGO.
Chicago, Jan. 5.—Firmness of corn, indicating prospects of peace in the far east together with favorable weather conditions for the movement of the crop, imparted weakness to wheat

today. After opening unchanged to 1/4 lower at 86 1/2 to 86 3/4, May declined to 82 1/2.
Cash: Wheat—No. 2 red, 91; No. 3 red, 86@90; No. 2 hard, 78@81; No. 2 hard, 72@75; No. 1 northern, 88; No. 2 northern, 82@84; No. 3 spring, 75@78; No. 2, 41; No. 3, 43@45.
Oats—No. 2, 35 1/2; No. 3, 33.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Jan. 5.—Butter quiet; creamery, 15@14; state dairy, 15@21.
Eggs—Strong; western, 35@37.
Sugar—Raw, nominal; fair refining, 3 cents; centrifugal, 36 test, 3 1/2; molasses sugar, 2 1/2. Refined is firm; crushed, 6.65; powdered, 4.35; granulated, 4.45.
Coffee—Firm; No. 7 Rio, 7 1/2.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS.
St. Louis, Jan. 5.—Wool—Nominal; territory and western mediums, 18@19; fine medium, 15@17; thin, 15@14.

BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 5.—The cold weather has been favorable this week for larger sales of heavy weight woolen clothing. The market for wool is firm. Manufacturers have not a large stock on hand, and it is believed that even larger purchases will be made. There is a firm tone to the market for fleeces, wools with available supplies moderate.

UTAH, IDAHO, THE WORLD.

Three new maps, just issued, Utah and Idaho on one side, the World on the reverse side, including population of the United States and Nevada, and the 1900 census, with a brief sketch of every country in the world. Size 27x31 1/2 inches, value 75 cents; sent to any address for 25c. Address Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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LOCAL MARKETS.

In the retail markets today, dressed chickens are ranging from 15 to 20 cents. The prevailing prices are given below:

FARM PRODUCTS.

Alfalfa, per cwt. baled, \$.65
Timothy, per cwt. baled,75
Wheat, per bushel, 1.05
Corn, per 100 pounds, 1.45
Oats, per 100 pounds, 1.50
Utah oats, per 100 pounds, 1.50
Montana oats, per 100 pounds, 1.60
Barley, whole, per 100 pounds, 1.30
Barley, rolled, per 100 pounds, 1.40
Rye, family, per 100 pounds, 2.10
Flour, straight grade, 100 pounds, 2.20
Flour, high patent, per 100 pounds, 2.40
Bran and shorts, 1.00
Straight shorts, 1.20

MEATS AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, per pound, 12 1/2 to 20c
Dressed pork, per pound, 15 to 17 1/2c
Dressed veal, per pound, 12 1/2 to 15c
Dressed mutton, per pound, 8 1/2 and 15c
Dressed lamb, per pound, 17 1/2 to 20c
Lard, 15c
Dressed hens, per pound, 15 and 18c
Dressed ducks, per pound, 15c
Dressed chicken, per pound, 15c to 20c
Turkeys, 25c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, per pound, 25@30c
Cheese, per pound, 20c
Eggs, per case, \$2.00 and \$1.00
Lemons, per box, 35 and 40c
Fancy cheese, per pound, 35 to 50c
Geese, per pound, 20c

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Cauliflower, per pound, 20c
Oranges, per box, 4.00
Oranges, per dozen, 25 to 50c
Lemons, per dozen, 4.50
Limes, per 100, 4.50
Bananas, per dozen, 30c
Utah apples, per peck, 60c
Pears, 4.50 bushel, 50 pound
New Early Rose potatoes, per bushel, 85c
Fancy red dry onions, per peck, 20c
Squash, each, 10c and 15c
Carrots, two bunches,05
Dill pickles, per quart, 15c
Sweet potatoes, 6 pounds, 25c
Figs, California, package, 15c
Figs washed, per pkg., 30c
Raspberries, per quart, 15c
Utah apples, per bushel, 60c
Tomatoes, per basket, 65c
Mixed nuts, two pounds, 65c

FISH.

Steel head salmon, per pound, 17 1/2c
Halibut, per pound, 15c
Striped bass, per pound, 20c
Shad, per pound, 20c
Sole, two for, 25c
Flounders, per pound, 15c, two for 25c
California smelts, per pound, 15c
Rock cod, per pound, 2 pounds . 25c
Eastern Cat fish, 15c
Sturgeon, 15c
Fresh cod, 15c
Sea bass, 25c
Crabs, per dozen, 15c
Mackinaw trout, 15c
White fish, 20c
Fresh Eastern mackerel, 35c
Lobsters, 17 1/2c
Extra select, per can, 60c
Extra select, per quart, 60c
Blue points in shell, per doz., 25c
Standards, per quart, 50c

TIME TABLE.

San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake R. R. Co.

DEPART.

From Oregon Short Line Depot, Salt Lake City:

For Provo, Lehi, Fairfield and Mercur, connecting at Nephi for Mantle and intermediate points on San Pete Valley Railway, 7:30 a. m.

For Garfield Beach, Tooele, Stockton, Mammoth, Tooele and Silver City (via Leamington cut-off), 8:00 a. m.

For Provo, American Fork, Lehi, Juab, Milford, Frisco, Caliente and intermediate points, 6:05 p. m.

ARRIVE.

From Provo, American Fork, Lehi, Juab, Milford, Frisco, Caliente and intermediate points, 9:35 a. m.

From Provo, Lehi, Fairfield, Mercur and San Pete Valley Ry. points, 5:35 p. m.

From Silver City, Mammoth, Tooele, Stockton, Tooele and Garfield Beach, 5:35 p. m.

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